

Cottonwood Creek Distribution System Committee Standing Rules

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I. Purpose

- (1) These rules outline the operating policies and procedures of the Cottonwood Creek Distribution System Committee ("Committee") which operates in accordance with Utah Administrative Rule R655-15.

II. Committee

- (1) In accordance with R655-15-9(2)(b), the decisions and recommendations of the Committee do not need ratification by the water users of the Distribution System.
- (2) The Committee is comprised of eight members representing the following irrigation companies or groups of water users:
 - (a) Cottonwood Creek Consolidated Irrigation Company - (2) representatives
 - (i) The Cottonwood Creek Consolidated Irrigation Company representatives shall be appointed by the Cottonwood Creek Consolidated Irrigation Company in accordance with R655-15-9(4)(b).
 - (b) Lower Water Users – (1) representative
 - (i) The Lower Water Users representative shall be selected annually by majority vote of the Lower Water Users at the Annual Distribution Meeting in accordance with R655-15-9(4)(a).
 - (c) Municipal Users - (1) representative
 - (i) The Municipal Users representative shall be selected annually by majority vote of the Municipal Water Users at the Annual Distribution Meeting in accordance with R655-15-9(4)(a).
 - (d) Lower Joe's Valley Water Users - (1) representative
 - (i) The Lower Joe's Valley Water Users representative shall be selected annually by majority vote of the Lower Joe's Valley Water Users at the Annual Distribution Meeting in accordance with R655-15-9(4)(a).
 - (e) Industrial Water Users - (1) representative
 - (i) The Industrial Water Users representative shall be selected annually by majority vote of the Industrial Water Users at the Annual Distribution Meeting in accordance with R655-15-9(4)(a).
 - (f) US Bureau of Reclamation / Emery Water Conservancy District - (1) representative
 - (i) The US Bureau of Reclamation / Emery Water Conservancy District representative shall be appointed by the US Bureau of Reclamation / Emery Water Conservancy District in accordance with R655-15-9(4)(b).
 - (g) Upper Joe's Valley Water Users - (1) representative
 - (i) The Upper Joe's Valley Water Users representative shall be selected annually by majority vote of the Upper Joe's Valley Water Users at the Annual Distribution Meeting in accordance with R655-15-9(4)(a).

- (3) The Committee Chair and Vice-Chair shall be selected annually at the Annual Distribution Meeting by majority vote of the Committee.

III. Modifications

- (1) Any modification or addition to these rules requires a majority vote of the Committee and is subject to approval of the State Engineer.